

## Natural Bridge State Park

Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation

# **JULY—AUGUST PROGRAMS**



All programs are **free**, open to the public, and **meet at the Visitor Center** unless otherwise noted. Parking fees do not apply. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit Mass.gov/COVID for more guidance. Park gates close at 4:30 pm. For more information call the park at (413) 663-6392.

## **OPEN DAILY**

## VISITOR CENTER, 9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

The Natural Bridge State Park Visitor Center features exhibits and park information, restrooms and drinking water.

Open daily, late-May through mid-October.

#### **MONDAYS**

#### **BUILDING THE BRIDGE**

10:00-10:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:30 p.m.

What were the natural forces that formed these unique landforms? Discover the human elements that altered them through photos and little-known details about how Natural Bridge came to

look as it does today.

#### **FRIDAYS**

#### TREMENDOUS TREE WALK

10:00-10:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:30 p.m.

Enjoy an easy interpreter-guided walk along the o.6-mile-long Elder Nature Trail. Encounter northern hardwood and eastern evergreen trees in a landscape shaped by glacial forces and human agriculture. Suitable for all ages. Wear sturdy footwear.

Bring a water bottle.

#### **SATURDAYS**

#### NATURAL BRIDGE HISTORY TOUR

10:00-10:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:30 p.m.

Easy walking tour for all ages. Discover the mysteries of Natural Bridge. Interpreter-guided discovery with short stories that enliven and highlight this unique park! Wear sturdy shoes. Bring

DISCOVERY TABLE, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Visit the discovery table **in the Visitor Center** to get a closer, fun, informative glimpse into native plants, area wildlife, local geology, and history. Topics rotate weekly.

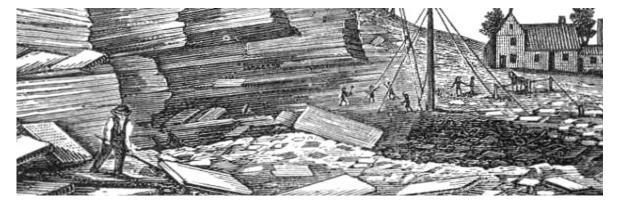
## **SUNDAYS**

### NATURAL BRIDGE HISTORY TOUR

10:00-10:30 a.m. and 2:00-2:30 p.m.

Easy walking tour for all ages. Discover the mystery of Natural Bridge State Park. Guided discovery with short stories that makes this park so unique! Wear sturdy shoes. Bring water.

LIFE IN THE QUARRY, 12:00—12:30 p.m. Join the park interpreter for an easy walking tour to discover what it was like to work in a quarry in the 1800s and early 1900s. Dress for the weather. Wear sturdy shoes. Bring water.



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